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For: COMPOSITION ATTRACTIVE TO INSECTS PERTAINING TO THE
COLEOPTERA ORDER AND ITS APPLICATION TO PEST CONTROL IN PALM
TREES AND RELATED PLANTS

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AMENDMENT/SUBMISSION

This is a response to the Office Action mailed August 13, 2002, in the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

FEE CALCULATION

No additional fee is due for claims.

In the event the actual fee is greater than the payment submitted or is inadvertently not enclosed or if any additional fee during the prosecution of this application is not paid, the Patent Office is authorized to charge the underpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

EXTENSION REQUEST

A separate request for an extension of time for two months accompanies this response. The request for an extension of time authorizes charging the Official Fee of \$205 to Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Director of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

AMENDMENTS

1. ☒ If checked, amendment(s) to the specification and/or claims are submitted herewith.

☒ If checked, an abstract is submitted as the last page of this amendment.

☐ If checked, the optional complete set of "clean" claims pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(c)(3) is attached hereto as Appendix C.

Claims:

Claims 1 through 6 and 8 through 14 are deleted, and claims 15 through 24 are added. No additional fee for claims is due.